REFUSAL OF CENSOR TO APPROVE FILM UNDER THE CINEMATOGRAPH FILMS ACT 1961

To United Artists A/sia Pty Ltd

Auckland N° 623

I hereby give you notice that I refuse to issue a certificate of approval in respect of the film

PASOLINI'S 120 DAYS OF SODOM

submitted by you for approval under the above-mentioned Act

on the following general grounds

unless and until the following alterations are made therein

That the film is contrary to public order and decency and its exhibition would be undesirable in the public interest.

Subject to satisfactory proof that these alterations have been made, I shall issue a ——— certificate in respect of the film.

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of September 1976

D C McIntosh Chief Censor.

NOTE – Any appeal against this decision must be lodged with the Secretary for Internal Affairs, Wellington, within 30 days, accompanied by the appropriate fee.